

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hearing Assistance Available: If you need assistance in hearing any part of the worship service, please go to the sound booth at the back of the sanctuary where we have devices to assist you.

Please pray for area churches: This week please be in prayer for our friends and neighbors who worship at the Main Street Moravian Church.

Moms/Babies/Toddlers: Moms of babies and toddlers are invited to a time of play, pray and fellowship, Mondays 9-10:30 am. If raining, meet here at Emmaus. If nice weather, gather at Way Park. Contact Rhea Mehrkens 507-421-6608.

Operation Christmas Child: We are still collecting school supplies for Shoeboxes. Items needed are spiral notebooks, crayons, colored pencils and sharpeners. Bring your donations to the church office.

Women's Bible Study: Friday mornings beginning September 6, 9-10:30 am. The study is by Jen Wilkin on 1 Samuel. Contact Kim Decker decker.kim@gmail.com with questions or to register.

Pet Grief Support Group: Emmaus will host a pet grief support group the second Tuesday of each month, beginning this week, September 10 6:30 pm in Room 215. Everyone is welcome to attend. There is no need to register, simply come. Call the church office with questions, 507-645-9480.

Membership Class: All those interested in membership at Emmaus are encouraged to attend Membership Class, Sunday, September 29 11:15 am to 1:15 pm. Lunch will be served. Please contact the church office to RSVP.

Life Groups: Our small groups will begin the week of September 29. To get more information about Life Groups, join us for a light luncheon on Sunday, September 15 after worship to learn more. Please contact Rob Ryden rryden@emmauschurch.org or sign up today at the table in the Narthex.

A Time of Prayer: All are welcome to the Prayer Room

on Sunday mornings 9-10 am for a time of prayer. Come and go as needed. This is a time to gather with others and pray for Emmaus, our community, nation, world, and for the concerns on your heart. Please join us.

Northfield Hospice & Grief Support Coalition Event: All are invited to "The Faces of Grief: Strategies for Understanding & Coping" Thursday, September 19th 6:00-7:30 pm at the Northfield Hospital Conference Center. This free panel discussion is open to all. Please contact Sara Lippert for more information 507-646-1456 or lipperts@northfieldhospital.org

Moms In Prayer: Gather with other moms to pray for our students and schools. Weekly on Fridays 10:35 am in the Conference Room. Contact Heather Grawe with questions 507-298-0407.

From The Treasurer

We have completed twenty-two weeks of the 2019-2020 fiscal year

Giving Last Sunday: \$9,240 (\$2,871 below budget)

YTD Giving: \$230,844 (\$35,610 below budget)

Capital Campaign Pledges made: \$193,745

Campaign Pledges received: \$136,731

This Week At Emmaus

Today: Coffee and Fellowship 9:00 am;

Adult Study 9:00 am Auditorium; Worship 10:00 am

Monday: Praying Grandmas 9 am Conference Room

HR Board Meeting 7:00 pm Pastor Abe's Office

Worship Board 7:00 pm Conference Room

Tuesday: Pet Grief Support Group 6:30 pm Room 215

Finance Board Meeting 7:00 pm Conference Room

Wednesday: Men's Breakfast 6:00 am

WOW & Youth Group Kick-off Family Event 6:00 pm

Friday: Women's Bible Study 9:00 am

Next Sunday: Coffee & Fellowship 9:00 am;

Sunday School for all ages 9:00 am; Worship 10:00 am

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EMMAUS CHURCH



Sunday September 8, 2019 | From The Heart

TODAY

Worshiping Together

Prelude

Welcome Kari Engle

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing *He Leadeth Me*
What a Beautiful Name It Is

The Lord's Prayer

Ministry Moment A Prayer for the Year Ahead

Offering *You Are Good*

Message and Prayer Pastor Abe Johnson

Song of Response *Jesus, All For Jesus*

Benediction

Today's Worship Leaders

Susan Lohmann, Andrew Ryden, Barry VanWieren, Tim Drake, Rob Ryden

Next Week

September 15, 2019

Speaker: Pastor Abe Johnson

Welcome to Emmaus

Welcome to all who have joined us today. As we gather together let our hearts be filled with gratitude for all the things God has done. Let us accept and encourage one another with the same love and grace that God has extended to us through Jesus Christ. And let us honor God in our songs, our speech, our reflections and all that we do here today.



Today's Message:

Pastor Abe Johnson

About Emmaus

We are a community of faith committed to growing in our love for God in worship and devotion; to cultivating a community characterized by love, grace and humility; and to loving our neighbors in service and hospitality. In all we are and in all we do we want to become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ.